## **BIOGRAPHIC SKETCHES**

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# Members of the House of Delegates.

### ALLEGANY COUNTY-Five Members.

JAMES CAMPBELL.

James Campbell, Republican, of the House of Delegates, was born in Glascow, Scotland, in 1842. In 1851, he accompanied his parents to this country and settled at Vale Summit, in Allegany county. In 1857, the family removed to Franklin Mines, and in 1861 Mr. Campbell enlisted in the Union army, where he served three years. After the war he settled at Newburg, West Virginia. He came back to Allegany county shortly afterward and has resided at Barton ever since. Under President Harrison's administration, Mr. Campbell served four years as inspector of coal and wood at Washington, D. C. Since the close of the Harrison administration, Mr. Campbell has been engaged in keeping a drug store at Barton. was a member of committee on organization, on printing, on public hygiene, on engrossed bills, chairman of the committee on railroads and canals, of the last House.

#### JOHN B. ROBINETTE.

John B. Robinette is a prosperous farmer of near Flintstone, Allegany county, and is a member of the large family of Robinettes so numerous in that section of Maryland. Mr. Robinette is a middle-aged man, a conscientious citizen, and one of the best farmers in his native county.

### CHARLES H. BRANDLER.

Charles H. Brandler is the son of Judge J. M. N. Brandler, of the Orphan's Court, of Allegany. He was an apt pupil in the public schools of his native city. After completing a business course in Allegany County Academy he attended the Columbus Business College, at Columbus, O., of which institution he is a graduate. He at once returned to Cumberland, entering the coal business with his father.